Fifth Night: Feelings Without Names
第五夜「名前のないきもち」

吸血鬼ちゃん×後輩ちゃん

Vampire-chan × Junior-chan

嵩乃朔

秘め事は
夕暮れ時の
図書室で――

The secret
happens at
dawn in the
library...

Sen-
pa-...
lick
lick
smack
ba-dump

creak
Sen-
pa-
...
We're in the library ...
Don't ...
snap
ba-dump
ba-dump
!
suuuck
creak
shiver
shiver
haa
haa
I...
The feeling of her tongue is...

She remembered what happened earlier this afternoon.
Bathing at home
splash
Aaaaa-aaaah
What's happening...? Recently I've found myself thinking about Senpai every time I'm alone.
ba-dump
ba-dump
When I first met her and she sucked my blood, I thought she was just a giant pervert, but...

KA-ZA-RI
TL/N We've misread Iris' surname as Kagen before, but it's actually read as Kazari
...Aya-fuji's hands... were so warm...
She said that she wanted me to stop, but I couldn't ...
ba-dump
ba-dump
Maybe it's something else...
I thought that was just my urge to suck blood...
Seeing her confused eyes made me excited and I couldn't hold myself back...

What is this feeling?

and now I keep thinking of Senpai.
Having my blood sucked every day is becoming normal,
... become weird...
...Since I've met Senpai...
...But what are Papilio-daemons?
I wonder, how are they different from me...?
...I've...
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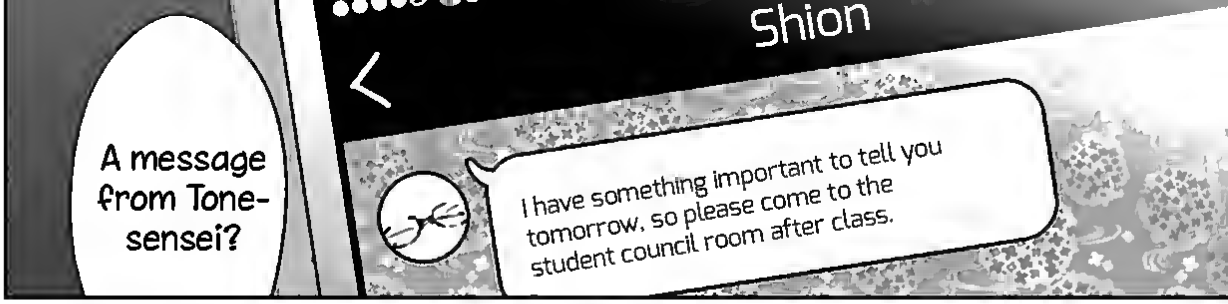
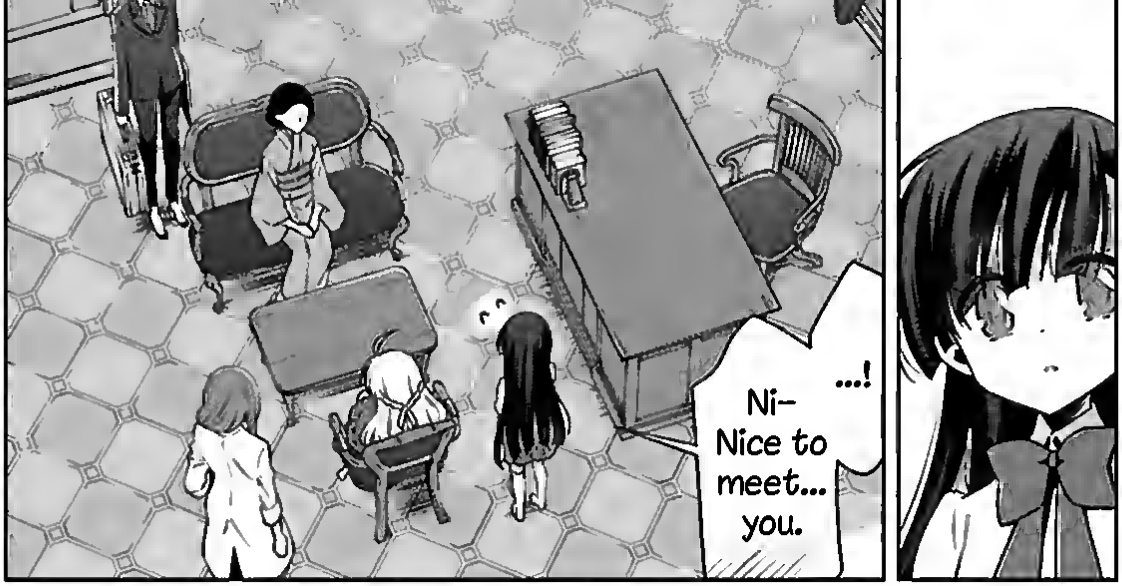
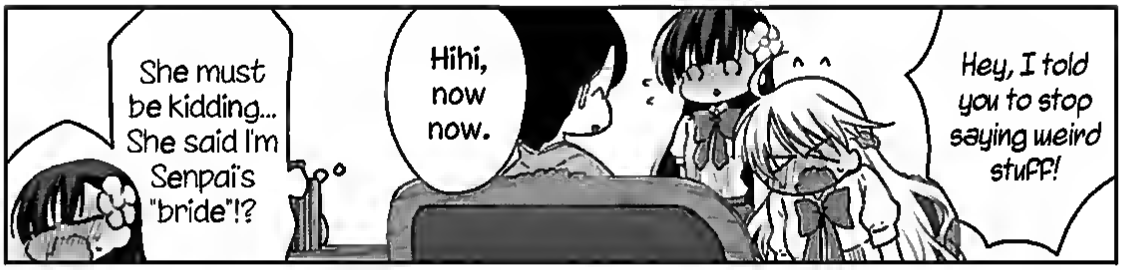

Shion
I have something important to tell you tomorrow, so please come to the student council room after class.
A message from Tone-sensei?

Hello, I'm Hinomiya Youko, president of an incorporated foundation called Psyche.
Nice to meet you, Ayafuji Sara-san.

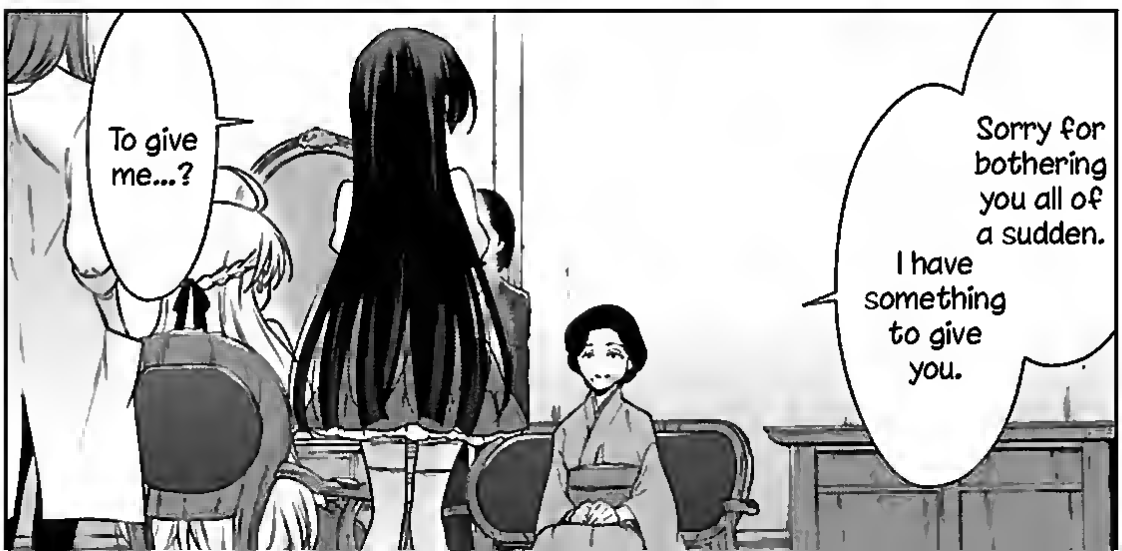

Ni-
Nice to meet... you.
...!

Who's that person?
This is probably about Papiliodaemons since Tone-sensei and Senpai are here, but...

I'm glad I came here to see your newly found bride.
!
blush
Hihi, you've found a cute bride as well, huh Iris?
Please don't say anything weird, Youko-san!!
blushhh


She must be kidding... She said I'm Senpai's "bride"!?
Hihi, now now.
Hey, I told you to stop saying weird stuff!

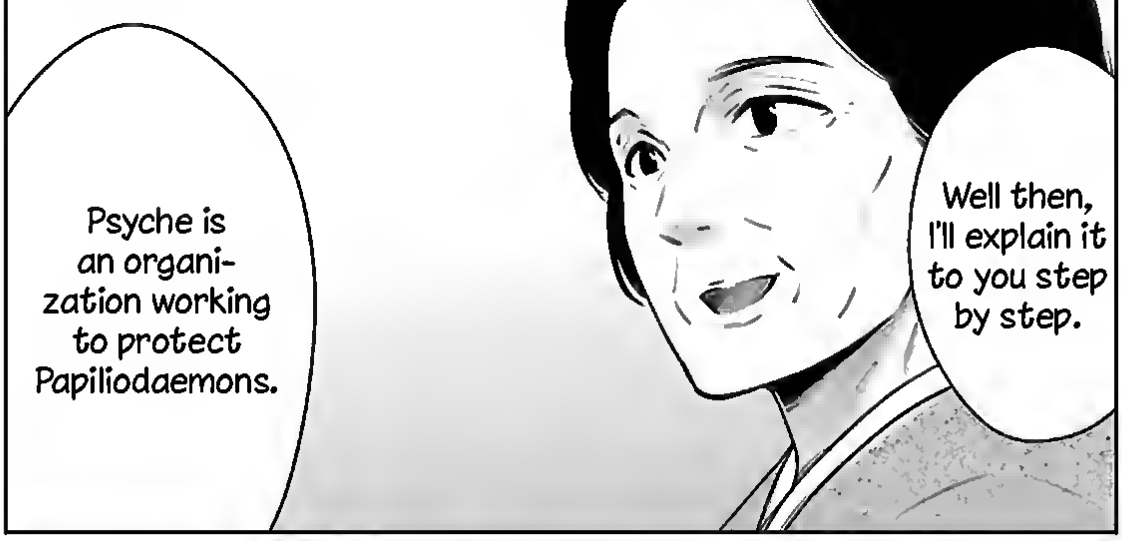
Senpai is embarrassed, so it's affecting me too...

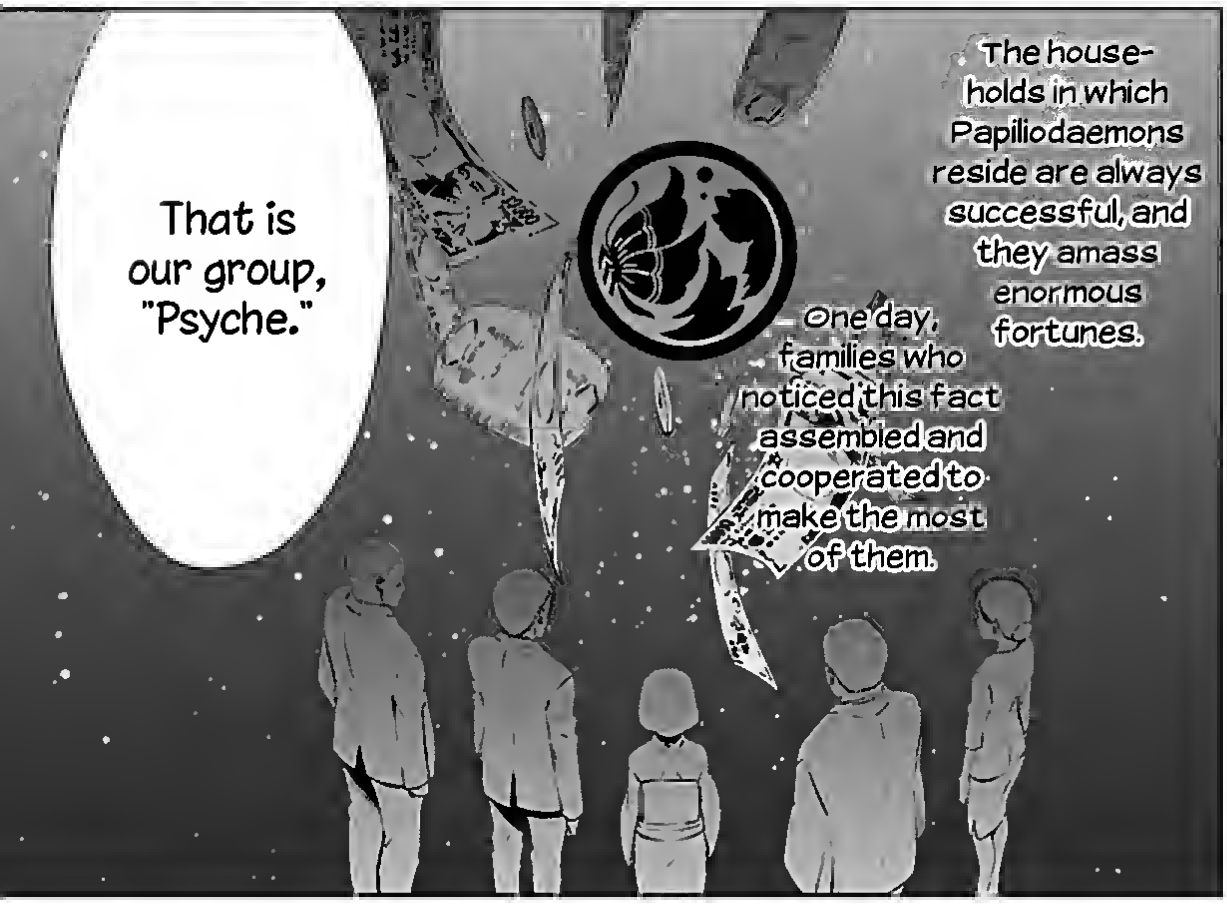

To give me...?
Sorry for bothering you all of a sudden. I have something to give you.

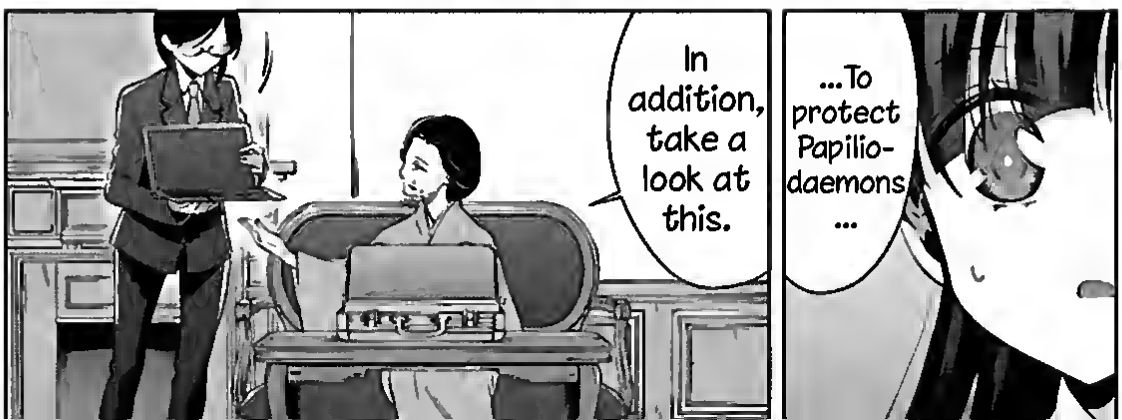
And that is...?
gulp
And that is...
open
Ta-daaaa♪
One hundred million yen!*♪
(fake voice)
*750.000€/ $890,000 (2017)

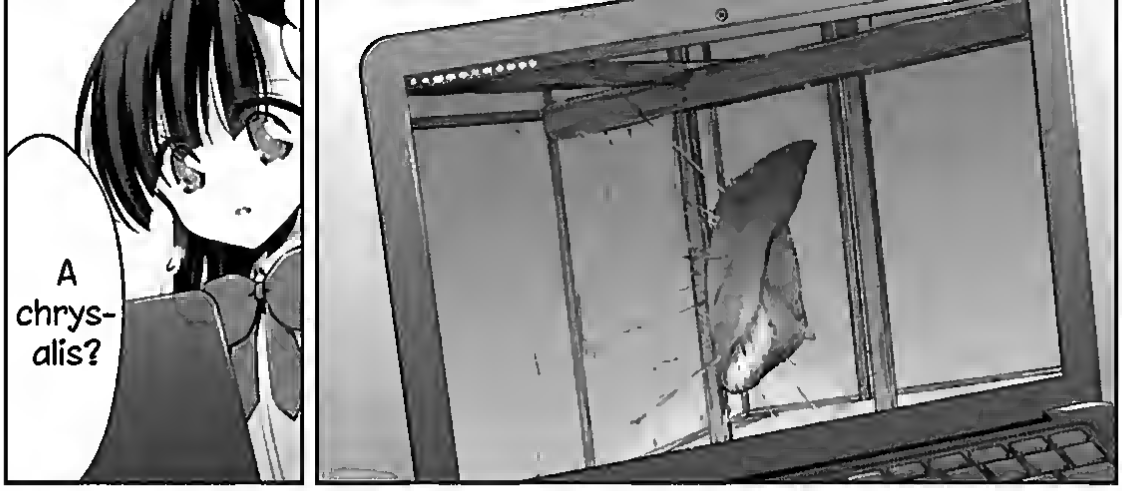
!!!

whaaa-
aaaaat
!???
bam
As Iris's bride, you are entitled to receive one hundred million yen.
One, one hundred mil-...?
... And about Papilio-dae-mons?
...?
Then do you know about Psyche?
...Oh, you didn't know?
Tehepero
I thought it would be fine to inform her later!
I clearly ordered Shion to properly explain everything to you...
She only knows the basics... Is this all right?
?
I know that she has to suck my blood once a day or there will be with-drawal symp-toms...
But is there something else?


Psyche is an organi-zation working to protect Papiliodaemons.
Well then, I'll explain it to you step by step.


That is our group, "Psyche."
One day, families who noticed this fact assembled and cooperated to make the most of them.
The house-holds in which Papiliodaemons reside are always successful, and they amass enormous fortunes.


In addition, take a look at this.
...To protect Papilio-daemons ...


A chrys-alis?

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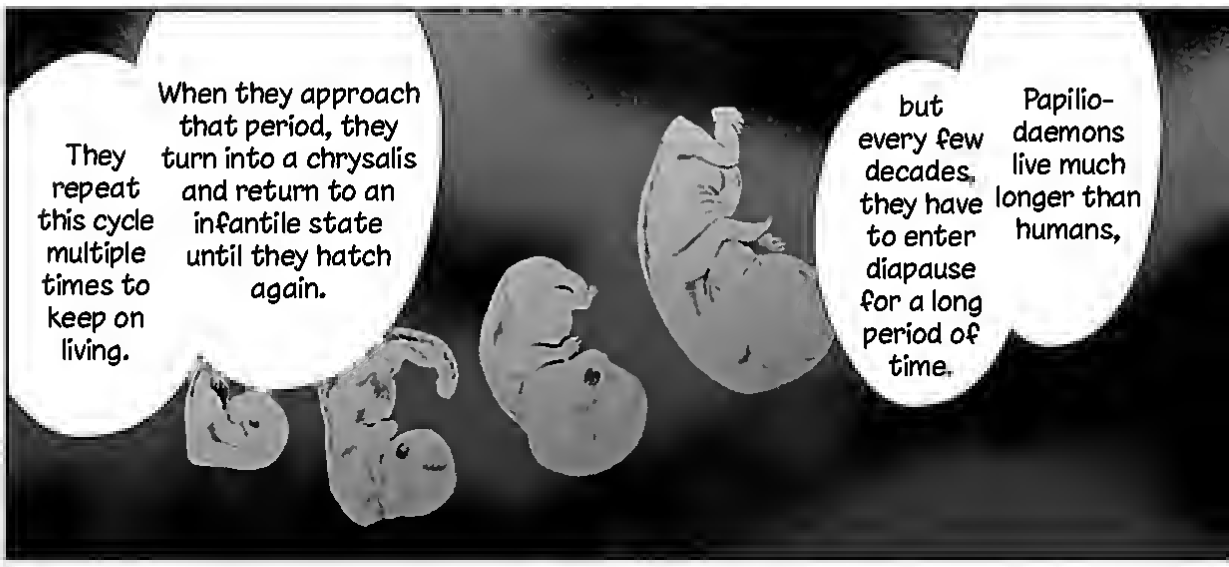
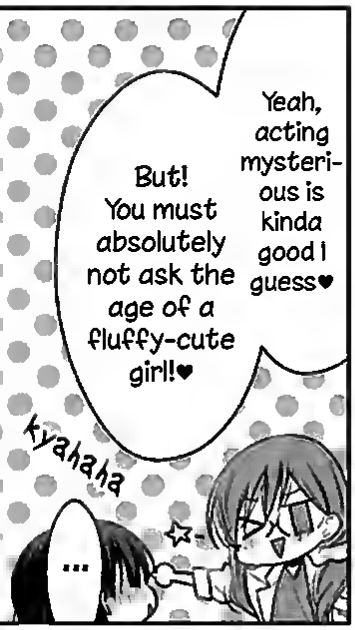
That's a Papilio-daemon.


They repeat this cycle multiple times to keep on living.
When they approach that period, they turn into a chrysalis and return to an infantile state until they hatch again.
but every few decades, they have to enter diapause for a long period of time.
Papilio-daemons live much longer than humans,

Such is what Papilio-daemons are.

...
ba-dump


Yeah, acting mysterious is kinda good I guess♥
But! You must absolutely not ask the age of a fluffy-cute girl!♥
kyahaha
...

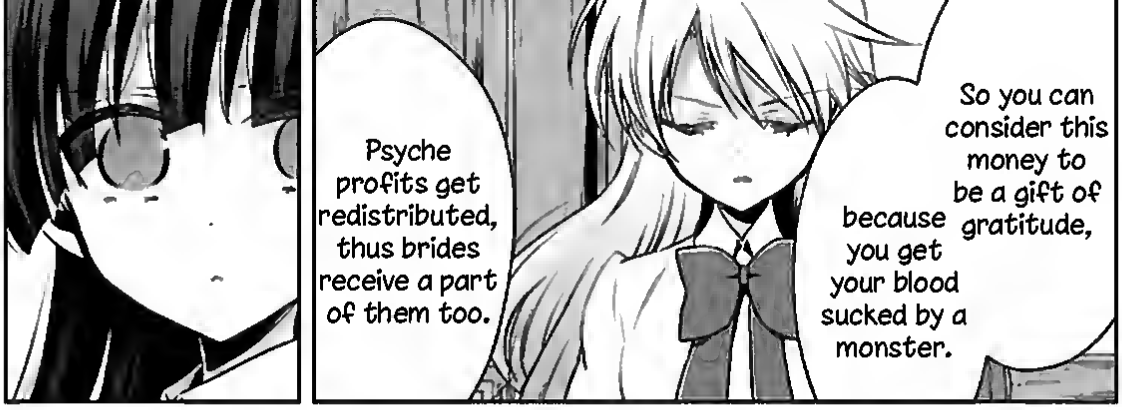
Just kidding!
...
Eh?
Oh my, surprised? Actually, the Shion-tan loaded with youthful energy in front of you is 1500 years old too!!

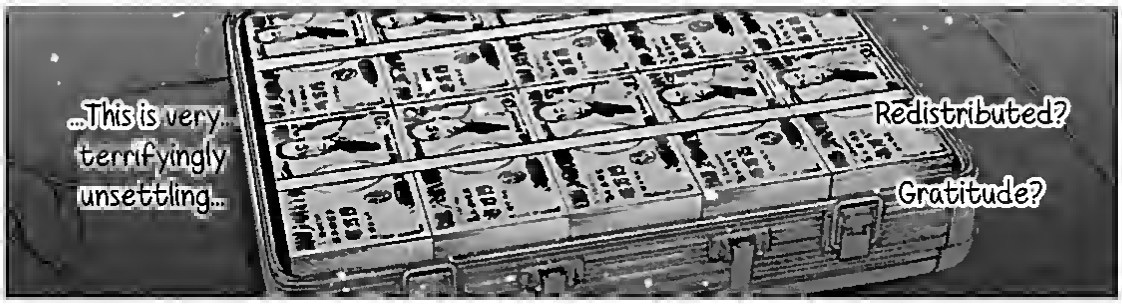
...
It's fine, my uncle can't either.

What?

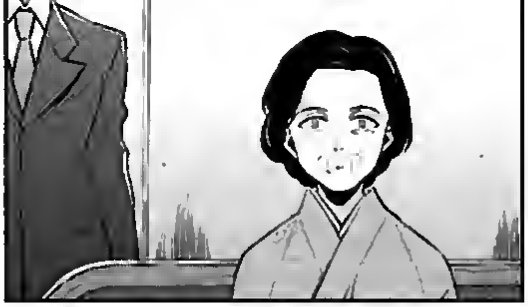
Ah, no, it's not that, I just can't get a good grasp of it yet.
I'm sorry, I shouldn't have kept this to myself. This must be terrible for you...

I was kept in confinement when I was little, and even to this day I'm still being watched.
Though this feels normal to me now.
... that person sees me as a beast.
I told you the other day that I have a legal guardian— my uncle.
I was born as a member of the Kazari family, but...
you monster.
Disgusting.
Don't look at me with those eyes,


So you can consider this money to be a gift of gratitude, because you get your blood sucked by a monster.
Psyche profits get redistributed, thus brides receive a part of them too.


Redistributed?
Gratitude?
...This is very... terrifyingly unsettling...

So this money came from you being confined and spied on, right?
Then I don't want it.
Well...



...The money my grandmother worked very hard to earn should last me until I turn twenty, so...
Honestly, this is way too much. I don't even know what I would do with it.

Also, I...

I don't want to be paid for spending time with you.

Good night

Today I tried to cook myself food like you taught me. It didn't go well.

During my lonely nights, when I receive these little messages from you–

...I was missing out on more than I'd thought...

Thinking of someone while getting out of the bath,

thinking for thirty minutes of what I should write in a Line message...

With these little things,

Why can't I cook as [illegible] Ayafuji-san?

these alone make me feel better.

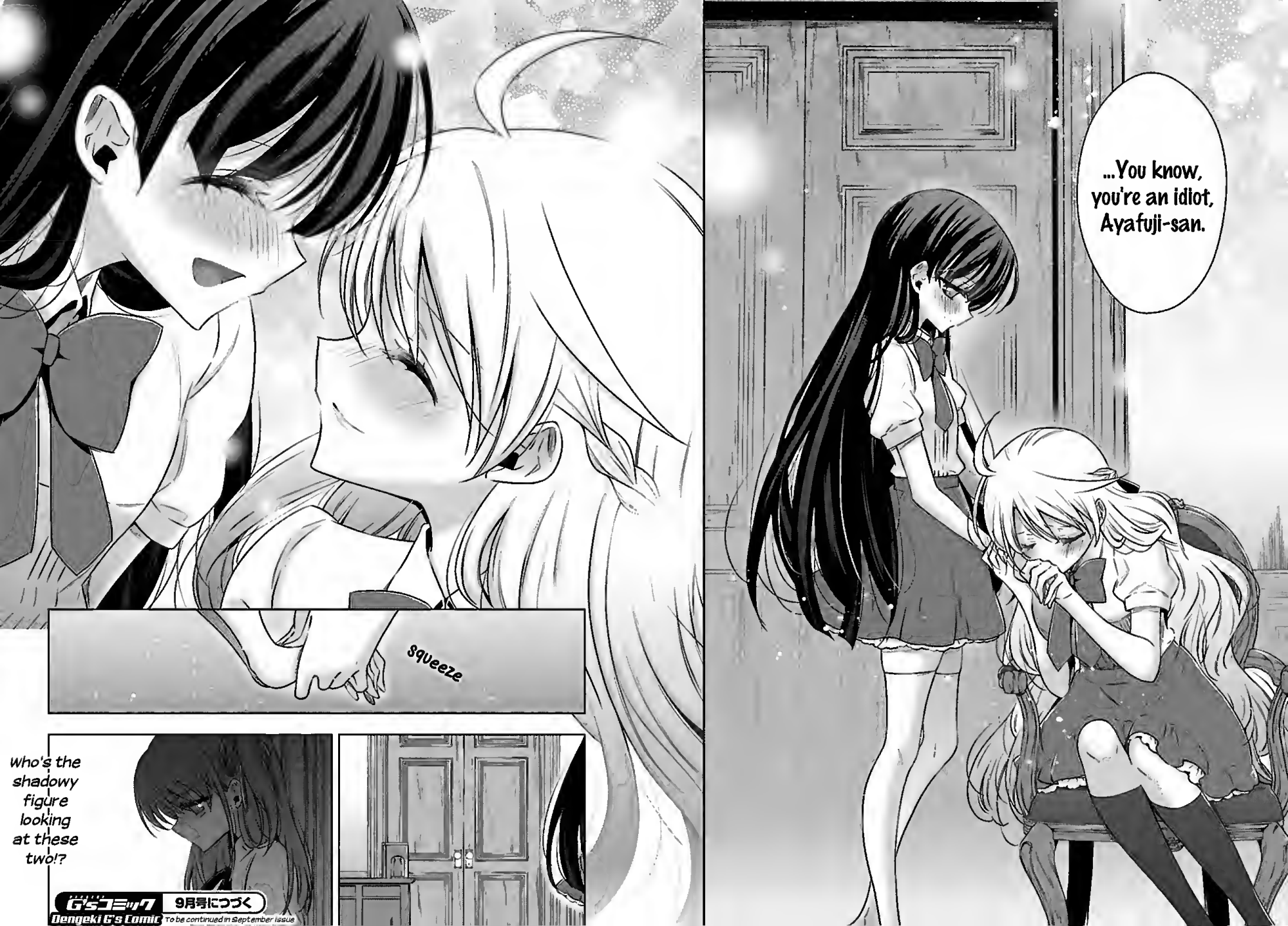
So I don't need your dowry.

my feelings of loneliness leave me.

It's a bother to sometimes be forced to have my blood sucked anywhere, at any time,
but you came to nurse me when I was sick, and you were so nice to me.
I don't want to turn the discovery of such feelings into money.

...My time with Senpai is full of things I'm not used to.
I may not understand the "Papilio-daemon" and "bride" thing too well, but

...The same emotions.
Senpai, I...
when you were enjoying HappinessLand, when the cooking went wrong and you were sad,
you had the same emotions a normal person would have.
I want to discover many new feelings with you, ones that I'm not even sure are possible!


...You know, you're an idiot, Ayafuji-san.
squeeze
Who's the shadowy figure looking at these two!?
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